BOSTON IS SCARED

Death at the Hospital from a Disease Resembling Yellow Fever.

JACKSON, M SS., IS ABOUT DEPOPULATED

Everybody Who Can Possibly Get Out of the City Leaves Quickly.

SEVERAL THEUSAND HIVE DEPARTED

Eight Cases of Yellow Fever at Edwards, But No Deaths.

TOTAL CASES IN NEW OF LEANS, NINETEEN

Present Indications in the Louisians Metropolis Show Conditions Much Improved_One Death , Occurs at Biloxi.

BOSTON, Sept. 16 .- The Globe today says: There has been a good deal of anxiety during the last few days in this city among the REPORT ON CASES UP TO DATE. officials of the city Board of Health and of the Massachusetts general hospital because of the death of Franklin Storey Conant, a student of Wellceley Hills, at the hospital last Monday afternoon. Mr. Consot was a student at Johns Hopkins university. The university maintains a biological station on the island of Jamsica, and each summer an expedition is sent from the university to the last Jung was in charge of Prof. Humphreys, who died on the island. Conant was ill when the Belvidere arrived, but he was allowed to land. It was not until a few hours before the death that the suspicious of the hospital authorities were aroused. Conant's body New began to turn yellow. This is a symptom of certain forms of malaria Dr. Samuel H. Durgin, chairman of the Board of Health, says an autopsy was held on Conant's body, but that no evidence of Jeliow fever was found. Other officials say the death was

caused by malarial fever, JACKSON, Miss., Sept. 16.—No more people are leaving the city, for two reasons-there are very few left here and none of these can get out of the quarantine thrown around the town. Business is dead. The town having gotten rid of these excitable persons (to the number of several thousand) the chances of those remaining are correspondingly increased should trouble occur and the people are therefore feeling easier. Hon, J. L. Redfield, mayor of Edwards, tel egraphed the Associated Press at 10 a. m. as "There are eight cases of yellow fever in town; three 'ca the country. No deaths. All patients doing well.'

At I o'clock this afterno n Mayor Wharton issued a proclamation, saying: "We are still free from any sickness or suspicious fevers. We have strengthened very materially our quarantine regulations and will continue to do so so long as danger is threat We have the utmost confidence that

We can keep the yellow fever out of our city.'
The state board has it from Dr. Purnel at Edwards today that three new cases of has not yet seen, are reported. He has no new cases of vellow fever to report. Captain Monigomery and Mrs. Anna Henry have black vomit this morning. There is great need for nurses, which the board will endeavor to supply. Purnell says people in this country want supplies from Edwards and some of the Edwards people want to leave for their plantations. The board instructed him to jail any who violate the rules of the rigid quarantine. Edwards is strongly guarded, as are the Austin and Champion places, the only country places infected. The board is hopeful of checking the disease and greatly cheered by the facthat up to 1 p. m. not a new case is reported anywhere in the state.

Meridian still refuses to lot Alabama and Vicksburg trains pass, despite the remon-strances of the board.

OUTLOOK IS BRIGHTER. NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 16,-A brighter outlook for New Orleans is evident tonigh so far as the fever situation is concerned The reports to the board were of the most encouraging nature. Instead of twenty cases requiring investigation, there were only ten to be looked into teday, and of these only three were pronounced suspicious and one declared yellow fever. One of the latter cases is situated in a thickly populated district and special pains are being taken by the board to quarantine and sanitate the neighborhood. The doctors have been unable

cases reported today. Tonight it was given out by the Board of Health that the case in the negro district is the most serious at present existing. Of the remaining eighteen cases half at least are considered to be practically well, but the board has decided not to allow recovered patients or any of the inmates of the houses in which they live to venture into the stree which the board can complete its work of disinfection, burning bed clothing and every-thing found in houses where there has been

sickness that is calculated to harbor germs. President Olliphant of the Board of Health and President Brittain of the council said that the chances of crushing the disease in its incipiency had infinitely improved. A large and important meeting of busines: men and representatives of the commercial exchange was held today to devise some means for funtigation of merchandise and to secure a modification of quarantine regulations in tituted by towns in Louisiana, Alabama and Mississippi. A motion was adopted that a committee of one from each commercial ex-Hospital service, in conjunction with the railroad steamboat and express company officials, be constituted a committee to en-deavor to obtain the consent of the other state and local boards of health now quar antined to receive shipments of merchandise and commodities, if accompanied by evificates from the Louislana Boarl of Health and the Marine Hospital service, that the same have been rendered or are incapable of carrying infection in accordance with the Interstate quarantine rules established by

the United States gove, nment.

A fatal case of genuine vellow fever do veloped in the very heart of Biloxi roday. There have been altogether twenty-two cases yellow fever in Biloxi, with only cre new cases have been reported.

OCEAN SPRINGS, Miss., Sept. 16 .- This has been an exceptionally hot day, the thermometer registering well up in the 99s Four new cases of dengue fever were reported today and one case of yellow fever, W. F. Bransford. He has been sick since last Priday and today Surgeon Murray declared the cases genuine yellow fever. The patient is in a critical condition. Dr. Dunn, accompanied by Dr. Biggs, visited Scranton today and reports five cases of yellow fever there and four doubtful cases.

MOHILE, Ala., Sept. 16 .- This has been a black letter day for Mobile. One new case was announced at the noon meeting of the Board of Health and two suspicious cases were reported. This aftermoon the first pa-tient, Antone Hagan, at the city hospital died and an autopsy was at once held, re-

moving, and now those who are not finan-cially able are making heroic exertions to get the means with which to travel. fay's developments have given even the old stagers a desire to put distance between them and the infection. The wholesale mer-chants are doing no business and only keeping open in order that the country mer-chants may not be entirely deprived of sup-

SUSPICIOUS CASE IN RANSAS CITY

Negro Boy from Mississippi Thought

Have the Yellow Fever. KANSAS CITY, Sept. 17 .- What is possibly a case of vellow fever has developed here in the city hospital. Claude Anderson, a negro boy 7 years old, was taken to the hospital yesterday from a negro lodging house on East Tweifth street in the central part of the city. The boy came here from Mississippi with an unknown white man. having left that state but six days ago. lad was suffering from fever and his condition seemed so suspicious that a consultaion of physicians was called at a late hour

At 12:39 this morning the consultation ended. Dr. Boeber, the house surgeon, who was one of the four physicians in consulta-

'I would not place myself on record as to whether it is or is not yellow fever. It is a condition that is not met with up here. There are few symptoms of yellow fever. There is no black vomit, and the boy's skin is not faundiced or yellow." The other physicians are equally uncer-

Marine Hospital Bureau Summarizes

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the Fever Situation.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The official bulletin of the Marine Hospital Bureau will contain in its forthcoming issue a synopsis of the yellow fever situation with a summary of the cases and deaths up to the 14th inst The list of cases and deaths is lower than that reported in press dispatches from inisland. The expedition which started carly fected points, but they are all that are last June was in charge of Prof. Humphreys, officially established. The summary is as follows C'ses. D'ths.

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The synopsis covers the outbreak

The synopsis covers the outbreak from its inception, with all the bureau orders, portes from surgeons and Boards of Health etc., concerning the status of the fever at various points.

No Fever at Apalachie. WASHINGTON, Sept. 16 .- Surgeon General Wyman of the Marine Hospital service has received a telegram from Drs. Hunter and Kyger of the Mississippi Board of Health, saying that there is no sickness at Apalachie, and no necessity to send Dr Guiteras there. They also state that a cordon has been placed around Edwards and that cases in the country are being guarded Dr. Purnell being in charge They wan tents for a refugee camp. The tent already been tendered to Dr. Purnell.

Seventeen Cases at Edwards.

EDWARDS, Miss., Sept. 16 .- At 6 o'clock this evening there are seventeen pronounced cases of yellow fever and thirty-five other cases of similar symptoms, but not yet declared yellow fever. Both the Presbyterian and Methodist ministers, Rev. Col. Mery and J. G. Galloway, respectively were taker

Quarantine Against Atlanta. CHARLESTON, S. C., Sept. 16 .- The Board of Health of this city today declared a rigid quarantine against Atlanta. The order was issued at noon and passengers and freight from Atlanta will henceforth be subjected to the same strict rules governing those from New Orleans, Mobile and other fever stricked

HUNTER BRIBERY CASE OPENS Sensational Testimony Given at the

FRANKFORT, Ky., Sept. 16 .- The first day's trial of Dr. Godfrey Hunter and other defendants under joint indictment for alleged conspiracy in an attempt to bribe three legislators for \$5,000 each to vote for Hunter in the recent senatorial race closed

as sensationally as the most curious of spec inters could have hoped. The verdict of the all along seemed to turn on the question of whether Hunter was on the night of Ap il I at the home of Noel Gaines, one of the delendants, and the man who says he was trying to trap Hunter and defeat his plan to election as senator. Others eay they were at Gaines' house and went as friends of Munter to see what'was in the Gaines story about Hunter's chances for votes, but Hunter himself has always bitterly denied and still denies, and will swear that he was never in the Gaines house or even knew the man. Thomas Tanner, a brother-in-law of Gaines

and one of the defendants, was dismissed on motion of the prosecution and went on the witness stand this afternoon and told Hunter's presence with the minutest de tail how, on the request of Hunter, he piloted the latter to Gaines' house and heard part of their conversation. Gaines and his wife have before the grand jury told the same story and Tanner's testimony this afternoon received the corroboration of circum antial evidence given by other witnesses All the defendants, several important prose uting witnesses and most of the pro politicians of the state are yet to testify.

Leasing of State Lands.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Sept. 16 .- (Special.)-An important meeting of the state land board change with Prof. Metz of the Board of of considering applications for leases upon Health and Surgeon Carter of the Marine state land. The board leased 15,160 acres of school and state lands at an average rental of 4 cents an acre per annum. Selections of 50,000 acres of land made by the State Board of Control were approved, and the land selected will be leased at once, applicaranchmen who offer to pay 5 cents per annum rental per acre.

Fire at Pender.

PENDER, Neb., Sept. 16.—(Special.)—This morning about 1 o'clock fire broke out in the northwest part of town in a barn belonging to J. S. Lewis. The barn was entirely con sumed, and the barn of George Watchter which slood close by, was partially destroyed The wind was blowing violently and burning embers were carried several blocks away by the wind. The fire company did effective work. The loss is \$250 on Lewis' barn and \$50 on Watchter's, neither of which were

Infantry Rifle Competition. CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—The preliminary in-antry rifle competition at Fort Sheridan closed today and was confined to skirmish firing. At the close of the afternoon the scores of the five leading contestants were as follows, the score including the firing of yesterday as well as that of today: Private Kerr, Tenth infantry, 271: Private Brennan, Twentieth Infantry, 262: Artificer King, Tenth infantry, 262: Artificer King, Tenth infantry, 272: Private Leaman, Nineteenth infantry, 247: Private Obinchain, Nineteenth infantry, 245.

Deny Story of Fallure, FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—Representatives of the prominent Guatemalan firm of Ascoli & Co. deny the report that it is in any way embarrassed, and say the house is meeting all its obligations and has a surplus in the bank.

Price of Pig Iron Advances. sulting in the declaration that he had undoubtedly died of yellow fever. This is the first death recorded here. The city begins to show the effects of the moving away of

DRIVEWAY WILL BE OPENED

Commissioner of Indian Affairs Sees His

CATTLE TRAIL ACROSS THE RESERVATION

Senator Thurston and Assistant Secretary Welkleighn Convince the Indian Bureau of the Necessity of the Proposed Move.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16 .- (Special Telegram.)-Through the earnest efforts of Senator Thurston and Assistant Secretary of War Meiklejohn concessions of the utmost importance to the cattlemen of North and South Dakota will be made by the commissioner of Indian affairs, permitting cattlemen to drive their cattle through the Great Sloux reservation under regulations to be decided upon within a day or two. Senator Allen and John A. McShane came to Washington some weeks ago in the interest of the South Omaha stock yards and cattlemen in the Dakotas to secure a lease from the Sloux Indians of Rosebud Agency for a driveway for cattle through the Indian lands. The proper machinery to secure a lease was at once set in motion, a council of the tribes was called and Inspector McLaughlin was sent to Rosebud Agency to represent the In-dian bureau at the council which was held on August 26. After hearing the pros and cons of permitting such a driveway to be opened up, the Indians decided against the proposition. Inspector McLaughlin later made his report and so far as the lease was concerned the whole matter was abandoned. Messrs. Thurston and Meiklejohn, after some correspondence with officials of the Union Stock Yards company, saw a way in which to attain the end desired. This morning Messrs. Thurston and Melklejohn had a long conference with Commissioner Jones, in which they made application for the granting of permits to cattlemen to drive across the reservation. The situation was gone over in all its bearings the importance permits being shown forcibly. After consultation with Major Larrabee. knows more about Indian questions than any other man in the Indian affairs office, the commissioner decided that such permits could be issued by the department, surrounded by safeguards to protect the reserva-tion as well as the rights of the Indians.

Having succeeded in accomplishing this much, Thurston and Meiklejohn asked that these permits be made special, in view of the urgency attending the case, and the commissioner at once fell into the way of the Nebraskan's thought. Commissioner Jones said that the agents at Pine Ridge and Rosebud would be immediately instructed to ispermits on application after regulations had been agreed upon. The commissioner thought that cattlemen should make applica-tion to the department at Washington, but he was told of the delay that would neces-sarily ensue if such a course was taken, and e agreed to allowing the agents at Pine guard. Ridge and Rosebud to issue permits for a Iriveway to all applicants desiring to use the trail for their cattle. Immediately upon the adoption of regulations made essential by the treaty with the Indians, the agents will be instructed to grant the cattlemen who desire it the use of a small strip of ter-

itory through the reservation for cattle driving purposes. The postmaster at Genoa, Neb., was today authorized to remove the postoffice in that city to the new building recently erected by Stocks & Speare. The clerk hire allowance for that office for the current year was also

William A. Lieberg of Minnesota has been appointed tailor at the Pierre Indian school. South Dakota, at \$600 per annum. James E. Maxwell of South Dakota has een appointed farmer at Crow Creek agency, South Dakota, at \$600 per annum. R. Bruce Payne of Huffton, S. D., and Darius Hollingsworth of Peru, Ia., have been

appointed rallway mail clerks.

D. O. Clark of the coal department of the Union Pacific, who has been in the city for several days, left for Omaha today.

ASK FOR A RAILROAD CONCESSION

Line to Connect Interior of Mearagu with the Coast. WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.-United States Consul Wieseke at Managua has been earnestly at work to secure from the Nicaraguen government a liberal concession for the construction of an interoceanic railroad in that country, which should place the capital, Managua, in direct communication by rall with the Atlantic ports of Bluefields and Rama and reduce from fifteen to six days the time required for communication with the United States. He has addressed himself on this subject to President Zelays and to General Espanosizi, pointing out the many advantages to accrue to Nicaragua and the United States by the construction of this rallway. He did not ask the concession for himself or his friends, but asked that it be bestowed upon United State citizens. The correspondence on the sub-lect which has reached the State depart ment states that General Zelaya and General Espanosiza gave the subject a hearty en dorsement and Mr. Wieseke has consequently Jose, the representative in congress of the

Atlantic coast district, that he will intro-duce a bill based upon the consul's ideas. MANCHESTER EXPORTS DECREASE

New Tariff Law Cuts In on English

Textile Trade. WASHINGTON, Sept. 16 .- Cotton, velvets, corduroys and fustians, being a class of goods most uffected by the operation of the new tariff act, United States Consul Grinnell at Manchester, Eng., sends to the State department a statement of the exports of these to the United States for the first eight months of this year. The total is 19,511,528 yards, valued at \$2,701,126. The largest export was in June, \$600,490, and the smallest in August, \$28,829. The total value of exports of all kinds of goods from the Man chester district to the United States during last August was only £64,899, as against £133,142 during the corresponding month of

last year. News for the Army. WASHINGTON, Sept. 16 .- (Special Tele gram.)-Lieutenant Gordon C. Heiner, Fourth artillery, has been granted twenty-five days'

leave of absence. An order issued today from the War de partment makes some of the important changes in station of the officers of the adjutant general's corps resulting from the recent retirement of General Ruggles. Colonel Corbin, stationed at Governors Island, N. Y., is ordered to Washington to take the place in the adjutant general's office now occupied by Captain Gilmore, who goes to army headquirters in place of General Breck. Colonel Farber at Chicago is ordered to Governors Island to take Colonel Corbin's place, while Colonel Sheridan at St. Paul goes to Chicago to fill the vacancy there.

National Museum in Nicaragua. WASHINGTON, Sept. 16. By a decretransmitted to the State department through United States Consul O'Hara, at Greytown the president of Nicaragua has estabthe president of Nicaragua has established a national museum at Managua for on the table of certain resolutions looking to the premanent exhibition of the resources of a boycott of the Thinese laundries. The return country. The institution is under the direction of David G. Guerman.

the country. The institution is direction of David G. Guerman. Quarantine Against Texas Fever.

WASHINGTON Sept. 16. Secretary Wilson is informed that the Beard of Live Stock commissioners of Illinois probably will quarantine all cutile shipped to that state from Kentucky. There have, been a number of outbreaks of Texas fever in Illinois recently, caused by cattle shipped in violation of the for the next convention in September, 1806. | diers there if their presence is not neces- New York.

Arkarsas and Tennessee. It is asserted that affected cattle are now being driven across the quarantine line, shipped to be the control of the federal' and state regulations from Texas,

and rebilled to points in Illinois. REVISION OF PATENT TREATIES. Way More Clearly.

> Present Ones Give Advantage to Foreign Inventors.
> WASHINGTON, Sept. 16,-Commissioner

Butterworth and Assistant Commissioner Greeley of the patent office are engaged in putting in shape amendments to be offered to the treaty existing among the leading nations of the world "For the protection of in-

dustrial property." A meeting of the representatives of these nations has been called to convene in Brussels next December, and it is the purpose of this country to secure if possible certain modifications of the present agreement. The convention was entered upon for the purpos of protecting patents, trade marks and other similar interests. Article ii of the treaty is one which this country will seek to have changed. As the article stands it provides that the citizens of each of the contracting states shall enjoy in all the other states the same advantages that are given to the citi-zens of those states. It has been found that this provision works a hardship upon our people taking out patents abroad entirely out of proportion to the tax upon foreigners taking out patents in this country. The inten-tion is now to ask for a reciprocal arrangement. In some countries to become the owner of a patent right costs an American, as well as a citizen, from \$300 to \$700, while

the uniform rate in this country is \$35.

The effort will be made to amend that treaty, making our rates to them equal to their rates to us. There will also be a pro-vision so that the subject of another country cannot patent an article in the United States upon which he cannot secure a patent in his own country. This modification his been suggested by the attitude of Germany. In that country a patent may be obtained for a chemical process, but not on the product. is asserted that this results very disastrously to our interests, enabling German manufacturers in some interests to control our market.

An amendment will also be suggested on behalf of this country to article iv so as to define more clearly the right of priority and put inventors of this country on the same footing as those of other countries where patents are granted without the preliminary examinations which the service may require

Patents for Western Inventors. WASHINGTON, Sept. 16 .- Patents have een issued as follows:

Nebraska-Edward Lemkuhl, Wahoo, continuous balance book; Franklin M. Wallace, North Bend, seed drill and cultivator; Joseph W. Woodward, Omaha, ambidexter or left-hand reference book; Samuel Wright, Beat-

rice, step ladder.
lowa-Thomas Evans, Lansing, apparatus for sheeting wax; Asa R. Frame, Boyden, current motor; William Louden, Fairfield, hay carrier; William F. and C. Mayes, Davenport, potato digger; Henry Thuirer

Spencer, car coupling. South Dakota—Samuel M. Jencks, Madison. hay rake and loader; Wallace C. Miller Bruce, book holder. Wyoming-George Tolmie, Carbon, rein

Wolcott is Encouraged.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16 .- First Assistant Postmaster General Heath has received a letter from Senator Wolcott in which the senator, who is at the head of the international monetary commission, speaks very encouragingly of the octlock for securing an nternational understanding in behalf of

Appointments by the President. WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.-The president today appointed D. N. Cooper United States Bunker Hill and Honey Brook, the attack bama; Abraham L. Lawshe, deputy auditor for the Postoffice department; Patrick J. Minitor, assayer in charge of the United

States assay office at Deadwood, S. D. President at Corner Stone Laying. WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.-President Mc-Kinley and the members of his cabinet today attended the corner stone laying of the handsome synagogue, to be erected by the Washington Hebrew congregation on Eighth

Andrade Will Be President. WASHINGTON, Sept. 16 .- Advices received here leave little doubt that General Ignacio Andrade will succeed General Crespo as president of Venezuela. The elections began yes terday and continue for three days.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.-Today's state ment of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balances, \$217,260,981; gold re-

Secretary Gage Goes to Chicago. WASHINGTON, Sept. 16 .- Secretary Gage left here for Chicago today to be gone until about October 10.

BAD STORM IN NORTHERN OHIO.

Approaches a Tornado in Intensity at Some Points. CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 26.—The storm which swept over northern Onio this afternoon approached a tornado in intensity. At Sandusky roofs were blown off, plate glass windows demolished and numerous trees blown down. A yacht in the harbor was wrecked. At Defiance considerable damage was done to buildings and crops and the same report comes from Massillon. At Paulding several buildings on the county fair grounds were wrecked and a panic ensued among the people. Thus far no loss of life or serious

niury to persons is reported.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Sept. 16.—A severe wind storm swept over this city and vicinity oolsay, doing considerable damage and fa-ally injuring three men. They are George Krockenberg, Fred. Weber and Andrew Sindeffer. The men sweet highest day of the Sindeffer. Krockenberg, Fred Weber and Andrew Eindefler. The men were injured by falling bricks from demolished chimneys. Telegraph and telephone wires were prostrated and considerable damage done to barns, plate glass windows and outbuildings.

CONVICTS ATTEMPT TO ESCAPE

Fight Ensues in Which a Guard is Shot Twice. COLUMBUS, O., Sept, 16.-At 4 p. m. three penitentiary prisoners appeared in the guard room and leveling revolvers at Captain Saxbe, attempted to escape. A fight

ensued. Two of the prisoners, Botts and Clark, got away. Lincoln, the third prisoner, was held. Benjamin Jame, a substitute guard, was shot twice. Botts is from Lucas and Clark from Cuyahoga county. SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16 - Under orders from Indian Agent Nordstrom, the United States agent in charge of the Pueblos has left for the Zuni reservation to assis Sacriff Sanchez in arresting the hig chie Indians accused of attempting to murde an alleged Zuni witch. The troops of

cavalry are awaiting at Zuni the arrival of the agent and the sheriff. Trouble at Zuni is feared when the arrests are made, as this is the season when the Pueblos hold dances. Decide Against a Boycott. at of the National Laundrymen's association at vesterday's session was the

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 16.—At today's ession of the Jubilee convention, Improved Order of Red Men. it was provided that no dispensation should be granted to tribes to give enter-alaments where intoxicating inquors were sold. Indianapolis was selected

Folk County Miners Expect to Be Turned Out of Their Homes.

DECLARE THEY WILL RESIST WITH FORCE

Indications that Next Few Days May See Rioting_Strikers Will Try to Stop Importations of Conl from Outside Points.

DES MOINES, Sept. 16 .- (Special Telegram.)-The situation among the striking miners in this county is critical, with indications that rioting may take place at any ime. About 2,000 men are now striking, and ess than 200 are at work. The supply of coal has been exhausted and some of the largest industries of the city have been com- and Adjutant General Stewart to report fully pelled to import coal from other lowa points. The miners propose to have this stopped, PITTSBURG MINERS GO TO WORK through the intervention of the Mine Workers' union, and this will precipitate the crisis. The street railway company has been unable to get coal from its regular sources and today it was discovered that the Flint Valley Coal company was supplying it clandestinely. The Flint company has had 100 men at work, it being supposed all their coal was used in the big brick manufactory conducted by the company. The men were paid by the day and were not called out. When was discovered the company was selling coal the men were called out, leaving the Christy company the only one doing any werk. Some of its men have been harship reated by the strikers, and trouble is im

minent. Nearly all the strikers live in company houses and the effort will be made this week or next to eject them. The men say they will demand thirty days' legal notice. The com-panies will undertake to eject them without this formality, in order to make quarters for new men who are to be imported. The strikers declare firmly that they will oppose with force all efforts to dispossess them be-fore the month from their notification to eave. Sympathies of the community are alogether with the strikers, who have notoriously worked on starvation wages.

WOMEN TAKE A HAND IN THE FRAY Assault Miners with Stones as They

Go to Work. HAZLETON, Pa., Sept. 16.-The American Federation of Labor has taken up the cause of the mine workers in this region. Their organizers are already at work here and when this has been completed a uniform scale will be formulated and presented to the operators. There will be no marching or anything in the nature of a demonstration and no attempt will be made to bring about sympathy strike movements.

A body of 150 men and boys, led by a score of women, made a raid on the Carson Star and Monarch collieries at Honey Brook, near Audenreid, today. The women as well as their followers were armed with clubs and stones and before the 300 workers could be induced to come out the missiles were used. Some of the women stationed themselves on top of a bank and pelted the men with stones. One Hungarian was clubbed over the head and badly injured. The encounter was the result of an attempt to start up the Lebigh and Wilkesbarre mines.

Despite the determination to remain out

until a decision regarding the 10 per cent demanded advance was received, a number of Hungarians and Italians reported for work this morning. As soon as this news reached made, each colliery turn. The superintendent called for the assistance of Sheriff Scott, and that gentle man made a demand on General Gobin for help. A battalion of the Eighth regiment hurried to the scene, but it was over and he men scattered when the soldiers reached there. The soldiers had not been out of sight ten minutes before a crowd of strikers pounced upon a squad of Hungarians who were screening coal near the Star washery, and forced them to quit. This second move ment resulted in the sending of a squadron Governor's troop to the disturbed dis trict this afternoon. They returned with the

report that all was quiet. Governor Hastings tonight sent a gram to General Gobin, ordering him to suppress all meetings tending to incite a lot. The streets of Hazleton were quiet today, and interest is now directed to the result of the coroner's inquest, which will

be held Monday or Tuesday. MAKE WAR ON THE BIG OPERATORS Miners and Small Operators Form

Combination. ST. LOUIS, Sept. 16.—The coal miners strike is over so far as the district supplying the St. Louis market is concerned. Seventeen mines in the sixth Illinois district resumed work today. It is probable that all the small operators in the district will come into line before the end of the week. The Du Quoin men will return to work Friday morning. The representatives of the strikers were met by seventeen of the independent operators. The men submitted a proposition for a scale of 37 cents a ton top weight mine run. After a long consultation it was accepted later in the afternoon. The big Consolidated and Madison companies ignored the call for the conference. They now have a three-cornered fight on their hands. The independent operators and the miners agreed to make common warfare on the two companies. The small operators will employ as many as possible of the strikers formerly employed by the Madison and Consolidated companies. It is probable that double shifts vill be worked. The Consolidated and Madison companies will not be able to get men to dig coal for them until they sign the

STRIKE CONDITION IS PECULIAR Many of the Miners Do Not Know

scale.

Just What They Want. PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 16.-A special to the Record from Hazleton says: Originating as it did in the petty disagreement between the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre company mule drivers and their employers, and having spread until it now affects nearly 10,000 men and most of the principal operators of the middle coal fields, this strike has been one of the most peculiar ever inaugurated in the region. The miners have no organization In many instances they do not know exactly for what they struck, except that they fe that they have been unfairly treated and that they want more pay. In 50 per cent of the idle collieries they are at a loss to say how much they want, and in such cases they have quit work without even asking for an

COAL COMPANIES WANT MILITIA Protest to the Sheriff Against the Soldiers Being Sent Home.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 16.-The length of the stay of the military in the Hazleton district will depend upon Sheriff Martin. General Gobin says he stands ready to withdraw the soldiery if the sheriff says so. A rumor that the sheriff had concluded to resume the responsibility brought an avelanche of lelegrams from the coal com-panies advising the sheriff not to let the militia go until there was a more settled feeling in Hazleton and vicinity. Labor leaders say the troops prevent a settlement of

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It was cold enough yesterday to suit al- Occasion is the Fete Attendant on Celebramost anybody. The maximum was only 6 degrees, and a chilly north wind blew nearly all day. The sun consented to shine about half the time, and during the middle of the day the temperature was not wholy uncom rtable. In the morning and evening, how ever, light overcoats and wraps were con-spicuously in evidence. It is promised that the weather today will be fair and cooler.

sary and has asked Major General Snowden

Over Fifteen Thousand Men Go to

Digging Conl Once More. PITTSBURG, Sept. 16 .- After nearly three months' idleness between 15,000 and 18,000 coal miners in the Pittsburg district re turned to work today in accordance with the action taken at yesterday's convention, authorizing the men to resume work in all mines complying with the provisions of the scale of 65 cents adopted at Columbus. The remainder of the 23,000 miners of the district vill be at work before the close of the week It is estimated that the strike, which lested sixty-five working days, cost the people of the Pittsburg district from \$5,000,000 to \$7,000,000. Of this amount the miners lost

bout \$2,250,000 in wages. The strike against the De Armitts will ontinue indefinitely, arrangements having been made to assess the working miners per cent of their wages to defray the expenses of keeping up the fight until the 65 cent rate is made uniform throughout the

SIX MEN KILLED IN WRECKS

Disasters on Railroads, One in Mis souri, Other in Colorado. ST. LOUIS, Sept. 16.-A wreck on the Wabash at Keytesville, Mo., early this morn ing resulted in the death of four men.

Dead: WILLIAM GAINES, St. Louis, postal cletk W. B. SMITH, Moberly, fireman, WILLIAM C. CLARK, Salisbury, Mo. PAUL STREET, Salisbury, Mo.

Injured: Mr. and Mrs. John J. Bristoe, Oakland, Mo William A. Flowers, engineer, Mrs. William Burton, Pattonsburg, Mo. Mrs. A. B. Bolton, Williamsburg, Mo. George F. Myers, Lucerne, Mo. Chauneey Jones, St. Louis, postal clerk, J. F. Bacon, postal clerk.

F. Lawrence, postal clerk. Arthur Sneed. The passenger train which left St. Louis at 9 o'clock Wednesday night crashed into freight train No. 58. The freight had received orders to take the siding at Keytes ville, a flag station, and let the passenger pass. The freight was a minute late and was just entering the switch when the pas-sener train crashed into it. The two locomotives were totally wrecked, three freight cars were demolished and a mail car was

thrown from the track. The only theory advanced as to the cause of the wreck is that there must have been a deviation in the watches of the conductors. The property loss is estimated at \$10,000. LEADVILLE, Colo., Sept. 16.—Two section men were killed and two seriously hurt in collision this morning between a Midlane assenger engine and a handcar. The acci-lent occurred near Basalt, fifty miles wes of Leadville. Foreman Lyons and four mer had finished some work five miles east o Basalt and started for that place on the hand car. The eastbound passenger was due about that time, but as it had been late several times it was decided to rush through. The hand car was going around a curve at high rate of speed when it encountered the passenger. Two men jumped, while the other three were caught by the engine. Two were instantly killed and the other, as well, as

one of the men who jumped, being fatally THOMAS LUCAS MICHAEL WELCH. Fatally injured:

John Lyons. CRIMINAL ACTION OF YOUNG MEN

Robbery. ST. LOUIS, Sept. 16 .- A special to the Post-Dispatch from Warrensburg, Mo., says James Hull and J. N. McKeeben, two young men of Jefferson township, are under to have a record as a man of violent habite. arrest charged with abduction, criminal assault and robbery. Wesley Jackson of Henry

ounty is wanted for complicity in the crime and the country is being scoured in search Andrew Stiles, a farmer aged 20 years, and his girl wife, aged 16 years, left Warsaw Monday, where their home had been, to drive over to Knob Noster, where his wife's siste resides. On the way the horse died and Stiles was at a loss to proceed until the three young men, Hull, McKeeben and Jackson, offered to permit Stills to hitch his cart be hind their buggy and drive the couple to their destination for \$1. The transaction was made, and after getting out into the country Stills claims the trio seized his wife and drove away with her after robbing him o what money he had, a little over \$5. The whole country around here is aroused and searching for the lost wife, who is thought to have been outraged and murdered.

Missouri Will Be Represented JEFFERSON CITY, Sept. Stephens today selected the following dele gates-at-large to the sixth annual session of the National Irrigation Congress to be held at Lincoin, Neb., September 28: H. R. Whittmore, St. Louis; G. R. Griffith and J. L. Lombard, Kansas City; Thomas Knight of Kansas City represents Missouri in the congress as member of the national executive committee. The governor said; The questions for discussion in the National Irrigation Congress are of vital interest not only to the people of arid and semi-arid regions, but to every section of our common country. Problems of both national and state legislation are to be considered." gates-at-large to the sixth annual sessio

mon country. Problems of both nations and state legislation are to be considered. Five Injured by Lightning. ST. LOUIS, Sept. 16.-A special to th Globe-Democrat from Gonzales, Mex., says: Five Mexicans were seriously injured by lightning on the farm of W. B. Houston, four miles below here, during a severe thunderstorm. Three men, a woman and a child were picking cotton, and when the storm came up took shelter under a tree. Lightning struck the tree and rendered them all unconscious.

American Board Finances BOSTON, Sept. 16-The annual statement of the American Board of For eign Missions today shows unprecedente receipts for the month of August amounting to \$120,189, nearly twice the amount for August last year. The total receipts for the fiscal year were \$643,283 and the total disbursements, \$688,414, leaving a debt of about \$45,000.

Movements of Ocean Vessels, Sept. 16 At New York-Arrived-H. H. Meier, Bremen; Britannie, from Liverpool. Fuerst Bismarck, for Hamburg; Werken

Ruffian Strikes the Fresident of Mexico a Heavy Blow in the Neck.

OUTRAGE COMMITTED IN A GREAT CROWD

tion of Independence Day.

ASSAILANT IS PROMPTLY APPREHENDED

Police Think He Had Designs on the Life of the Executive.

DIAZ TAKES THE MATTER VERY COOLLY

When Searched by the Authorities No Weapons Are Found on the Person of the Would-Be Assassin.

CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 16.-Ignaclo Anulfo, a violent character, assaulted President Diaz today during the military procession, usual on Independence day. The man was felled with a cane by a companion of the president and was immediately taken into custody by the authorities.

The central thoroughfare of this city extending from the great plaza to Alameda, or the public park, and known by various names, was thronged by thousands of people this morning, assembled to see the military procession, as usual on Independence day, pass by. Private residences and public buildings were profusely adoraed with flags, bunting and magnificent floral displays, Gendarmes on each side of the street kept the crowd from passing the marchers, on the way to take part in the public exercises at Alameda, after which the military parade was to march through the same street on its way to the national palace to be reviewed by President Diaz. The scene was immensely picturesque, the historic avenue called by George Augustus Sala, one of the famous streets of the world, being all aglow with color and the S; anish-fashioned balconies filled with women in brilliant tellets. After a short wait the murmur ran through the crowd that the president was coming and on foot. Dressed in the uniform of a general of division, the president, bowing right and left to the applauding crowd, came, immediately behind him General Praditio, the governor of the national palace, who served in the same capacity under Emperor Maximilian. Following them were other officers, cabinet ministers, etc.

ASSAULTS THE PRESIDENT. Suddenly near the Alameda there was a disturbance in the crowd on the sidewalk and a well-built, muscular man, with flowing black hair and mustache, forced his way by tremendous effort past the gendarmes and jumped between the president and General Pradillo and the chief of staff, Monasterio, and dealt a blow at the back of the president's neck, but the violence of the low was diminished by the fact that he was crowded between the president and the officers immediately following him. The president turned around and caught sight I his assailant and resumed his march with

admirable coo'mess. Meantime Chief of Staff Monasterio hit the man with a cane, who turning, seized it and broke it. General Pradillo then hit him a powerful blow on the neck, felling him. The gendarmes rushed forward and some mounted officers and police seized and pinioned him. He was taken through a side street and led away, the people shouting: "Give him to us," "We will hang him." But the gendarmes succeeded in keeping their prisoner, being reinforced by cavalrymen, the great crowd shouting and running behind.

The man was taken to the palace and stripped, but no weapon was found on his person. He was taken away to the city hall securely bound and placed in solitary confinement, after being questioned by officers. His name is Ignacio Anulfo, who has of late been employed in a notary's office as a clerk, and is said by the chief of police given to drink and quarrelsome. Various stories are told regarding his design on the president, one theory being that he was armed with a dagger, as many of the police believe, but if so he must have thrown it away, as no weapon was found upon him. It seems almost certain that he intended harm, for at the moment of dealing the blow, he used

opprobrious terms and seemed most maniacal. DIAZ IS COOL. The president, on returning to the palace, was cheered by the populace, and an immense crowd assembled in front of the palace cheering and shouting and calling for the

president. President Diaz took the matter very on? and advised that the man be kept in custody until tomorrow and be brought before him to explain his motives, apparently believing that the man had no murderous intent. But the police feel that the case is one that demands the closest investigation, and they counseled his being turned over to the milltary tribunal, as he had assaulted their commander in chief while in uniform. It is variously reported tonight that Anulfo will be tried by courtmartial, and also that he

will be handed over to the civil authorities, General Powell Clayton, the United States minister, immediately called upon the president and offered his congratulations, as did other diplomats and many other prominent

There is no doubt that if Anulfo had fallen into the hands of the people he would have been torn into pieces, so intense was their rage. Some think Anulfo made the assault for the sake of gaining notoriety, having read the accounts of the assassination of Canovas:

The president received an ovation on entering the Chamber of Deputies tonight to open congress, every one present desiring to show his satisfaction that he had escaped unharmed from an attempted assault. Leaving the hall, a man approached to address him, but was immediately arrested by the gen-

MESSAGE OF PRESIDENT DIAZ. Executive Opens Congress and Gives
Them His Opinions.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Sept. 15.—Govenor Hastings said tonight that the troops would be withdrawn from the strike region as soon as circumstances will warrant. He is anxious to avoid the cxp use of keeping the soldiers there if their presence is not neces.

York

At Naples—Arrived—Kaiser Withelm II, from New York.

At Hamburg—Arrived—Removed—Pennsylvania, gradually making more intimate ties with them. He noted the decision of the court CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 16. President